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1. THE GENERAL CONFEDERATION OF PORTUGUESE WORKERS (CGTP)
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IS SENDING A SEVEN-MEMBER DELEGATION TO THE WFTU CONGRESS.
THE DELEGATION IS HEADED BY CGTP EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS
ALVARO RANA AND KALIDAS BARRETO. THE LATTER, A DISSIDENT SOCIALIST,
IS THE ONLY NON-COMMUNIST ON THE DELEGATION.

2. CGTP ATTENDANCE IN PRAGUE IS IN KEEPING WITH ITS
ACTIVE PROGRAM FOR CEMENTING TIES WITH COMMUNIST LABOR

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ORGANIZATIONS WORLDWIDE. IN THE PAST MONTH ALONE, CGTP HAS SENT DELEGATIONS TO SYRIA, ALGERIA, YUGOSLAVIA, JAPAN, AND THE USSR. IN DAMASCUS THEY PARTICIPATED IN THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE'S SOLIDARITY CONFERENCE. IN OTHER COUNTRIES THEY WERE INVITED GUESTS OF NATIONAL TRADE UNION CENTERS. THE SOYHO-SPONSORED TRIP TO JAPAN INCLUDED A VISIT TO HIROSHIMA TO PAY HOMAGE TO A-BOMB VICTIMS.

3. OVER THE SAME PERIOD THE CGTP HAS HOSTED VISITING UNION OFFICIALS FROM HUNGARY, THE SOVIET UNION, AND THE WFTU. A GROUP OF MINEWORKER LEADERS FROM SCOTLAND, DESCRIBED BY A SOCIALIST LEADER AS COMMUNISTS, WERE ALSO RECENT GUESTS OF THE CGTP.
BLOOMFIELD

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